

Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska, Groundfish Observer Program" (RIN0648-AX94) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 19, 2009; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. 1340. A bill to establish a minimum funding level for programs under the Victims of Crime Act of 1984 for fiscal years 2010 to 2014 that ensures a reasonable growth in victim programs without jeopardizing the long-term sustainability of the Crime Victims Fund.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. LEAHY for the Committee on the Judiciary.

Laurie O. Robinson, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Benjamin B. Wagner, of California, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of California for the term of four years.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. BROWNBACK:

S. 1835. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow 5-year carryback of operating losses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. McCAIN:

S. 1836. A bill to prohibit the Federal Communications Commission from further regulating the Internet; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. BROWN:

S. 1837. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to cover hearing aids and auditory rehabilitation services under the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself and Mr. WEBB):

S. 1838. A bill to establish a commission to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the American Civil War; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 1839. A bill to provide for duty free treatment for certain United States Government property returned to the United States; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 1840. A bill to extend the temporary suspension of duty on Linuron; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 1841. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Terbacil; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 1842. A bill to modify the provisions of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States relating to returned property; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SPECTER (for himself and Mr. GRAHAM):

S. 1843. A bill to provide increased penalties for health care fraud; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GREGG:

S. 1844. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on ski poles; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1845. A bill to extend the suspension of duty on Avermectin B; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1846. A bill to extend the suspension of duty on cloquintocet-mexyl; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1847. A bill to modify and extend the suspension of duty on clodinafop-propargyl; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1848. A bill to modify and extend the suspension of duty on fludioxinil technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1849. A bill to renew the temporary suspension of duty on primsulfuron; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1850. A bill to modify and extend the suspension of duty on pinoxaden; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1851. A bill to modify and extend the suspension of duty on azoxytrobin; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1852. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on prosulfuron technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1853. A bill to extend the suspension of duty on mefenoxam technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1854. A bill to extend the suspension of duty on pymetrozine technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 1855. A bill to extend the suspension of duty on cyproconazole technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BARRASSO:

S. 1856. A bill to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to clarify policies regarding ownership of pore space; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. VOINOVICH, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. BROWN, and Mr. KERRY):

S. 1857. A bill to establish national centers of excellence for the treatment of depressive and bipolar disorders; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BENNETT, and Mr. REID):

S. 1858. A bill to require Senate candidates to file designations, statements, and reports in electronic form; read the first time.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. KOHL, and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 1859. A bill to reinstate Federal matching of State spending of child support incentive payments; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN:

S. 1860. A bill to permit each current member of the Board of Directors of the Office of Compliance to serve for 3 terms; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. VITTER):

S. 1861. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a 2-year extension of the increased rehabilitation credit for structures in the Gulf Opportunity Zone; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN:

S. 1862. A bill to provide that certain Secret Service employees may elect to transition to coverage under the District of Columbia Police and Fire Fighter Retirement and Disability System; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. BOND (for himself and Mrs. MCCASKILL):

S. Res. 320. A resolution designating May 1 each year as "Silver Star Banner Day"; to the Committee on Armed Services.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 453

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 453, a bill to authorize the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to make grants and offer technical assistance to local governments and others to design and implement innovative policies, programs, and projects that address widespread property vacancy and abandonment, and for other purposes.

S. 456

At the request of Mr. DODD, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 456, a bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services, in consultation with the Secretary of Education, to develop guidelines to be used on a voluntary basis to develop plans to manage the risk of food allergy and anaphylaxis in schools and early childhood education programs, to establish school-based food allergy management grants, and for other purposes.

S. 462

At the request of Mrs. BOXER, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 462, a bill to amend the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 to prohibit the importation, exportation, transportation, and sale, receipt, acquisition, or purchase in interstate or foreign commerce, of any live animal of any prohibited wildlife species, and for other purposes.

S. 491

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 491, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow Federal civilian and military retirees to pay health insurance premiums on a pretax basis and to allow a deduction for TRICARE supplemental premiums.

At the request of Mr. WEBB, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. ISAKSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 491, *supra*.